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CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT
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Mr. Griffith Lyn Kimball
Absolute Mining and Minerals, LLC
145 South 1350 East
Lehi, Utah 84043

Re: Reclamation Schedule, Absolute Mining and Minerals, LLC, AMMI Mine, S/019/035, Grand County, Utah

Dear Mr. Kimball:

On November 28, 2001, the Division received a copy of your letter dated November 27, 2001, wherein you request a continuation for reclamation work because of an industrial accident where Frank Snyder, Dale Snyder's brother, was critically injured. We understand this has been a painful experience for everyone involved, and we empathize with both Dale and Frank.

We want to be sensitive to this situation and to the difficulty it has caused, both emotionally and logistically. At the same time, I believe you understand that we are anxious to have the site come into compliance. In April 2002, it will be three years since Tony Gallegos first found the disturbed area to be larger than five acres and out of compliance with regulatory requirements.

Please furnish a realistic reclamation schedule by December 21, 2001, to which you can commit. Don't hesitate to call me at 801-538-5286 or Paul Baker at 538-5261 if we can help you with any questions in this matter.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg
Permit Supervisor
Minerals Regulatory Program

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